

REMARKS

This amendment is being filed responsive to the Official Action and to initiate a CPA. This amendment is believed to put the application in condition for allowance.

There are no formal matters outstanding.

The Official Action rejected claims 1-8, 10-28, and 33-34 under §103 as obvious over SAETHER 4,611,757 in view of SCHEUERMANN 3,987,819.

There are no other substantive rejections pending.

The newly-presented claims have been drafted so as to be both novel and non-obvious over these applied references. Accordingly, reconsideration and allowance of all the pending claims are respectfully requested.

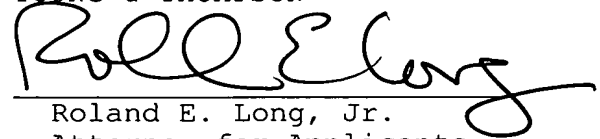
Please note that Young & Thompson has taken over prosecution of this application. A Revocation and Power of Attorney will be filed with the Patent Office shortly. Until such time that the Revocation and Power of Attorney becomes of record, it is requested that a copy of all correspondence

concerning this application be sent to the attention of the undersigned attorney at Young & Thompson.

Respectfully submitted,

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